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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MARC D. BETTER et al.

Serial No.: 10/816,276

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For: HUMAN ENGINEERED
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Examiner: unassigned

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PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed May 17, 2004 in the above-referenced application. With this two-month extension, Applicants' response is due on September 17, 2004.

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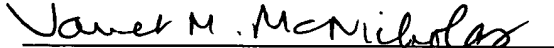
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An extension fee of \$210.00 is required, our check is enclosed. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess portion of this fee to Deposit Account No. 13-0017 in the name of McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 17, 2004


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